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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

OF THE

TOWN OF CHARLESTOWN,

FROM

March 1, 1841, to March 31, 1842.

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Dr. TOWN OF CHARLESTOWN, *in Account with* ISAAC BLANCHARD, *Collector and Treasurer.* Cr.

Paid Sundries, as per statement,	49,590 48
" Orders drawn by Board of Selectmen,	13,775 82
" " Board of Trustees,	19,163 31
" " Overseers of the Poor,	12,939 98
" " Engineers of the Fire Department,	2,970 41
" " Board of Health,	256 64
" " Committee to Build Reservoir,	321 63
	$99,018 27
Cash on hand March 31, 1842,	31,626 85
	$130,645 12

Balance in Treasury, March 1, 1841,			2,837 41
Borrowed of Boston Saving Institution, to meet current expenses,			10,000 00
Do. Phœnix Bank, do. do.			5,000 00
Lowell Savings' Institution, permanent loan,			50,000 00
State Treasurer, for Military Services,			850 00
Caleb Symms, Jr. Tomb lot,			25 00
Rent of Market House,			604 50
Rent of Town Hall,			102 00
Received of Phœnix Bank, Interest on Deposites,			408 99
For Support of Schools, viz :—			
Of State Treasurer, Town's proportion of School Fund,		467 28	
Of Board of Trustees, Interest on School Fund,		108 00	
Do. do.		210 00	
			785 28
Overseers of the Poor, viz :—			
Of State Treasurer, for support of State Paupers,		2,950 86	
Of A. Munroe, Chairman,		1,212 46	
			4,163 32
Taxes assessed for 1841,		57,552 98	
Deduct abatements,	220 20		
Do. uncollected,	1,781 79	2,701 99	
			54,850 99
Taxes of 1840 uncollected 1841,		1,254 68	
Deduct abatements,	332 11		
Do. uncollected,	252 00	584 11	
			670 57
Taxes of 1839 uncollected 1840,		535 73	
Deduct abatements,	486 23		
Do. uncollected,	33 76	519 99	
			15 74
Taxes of 1838 uncollected 1840,		92 56	
Deduct abatements,		89 56	
			3 00
Interest on account of delay in payment of Taxes, of 1840,			7 51
Am't unpaid on Orders of the several Boards, March 31,			320 81
			$130,645 12

TREASURER'S REPORT

Of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Town of Charlestown, from March 1, 1841, *to March* 31, 1842.

EXPENDITURES.

SUNDRIES.

Paid County Treasurer for county taxes,	4,130	61	
Phœnix Bank, for money borrowed to meet current expenses	5,000		
Boston Savings' Institution, for do.	10,000		
Interest on money borrowed to meet current expenses	382	50	
Stoneham tax		44	
143 members of the Fire Department, amount of their poll tax	214	50	
For recording deeds	1	25	
Chief Engineer of Fire Department, balance of appropriation for 1840	300		
Board of Health, balance of appropriation for 1840	40		
Town debt	23,400		
Interest on town debt	5263	32	
Outstanding claims	57	86	
Salary of Treasurer for 1841	800		
			49,590 48

Amount paid by Order of Selectmen.

CONTINGENT.

Paid David Snow, damages grading Cross st.	175		
Do. Cost of referees	30		
Upton & Farwell, printing	17	50	
Charles Forster, trees for training field	5	50	
Thomas Knight, ringing town bell	15		
Jasper Stone do.	16	50	
Fuller & Gould, cloth	6	75	
S. L. Armistead, sundries	1		
J. P. Dunklee, services	5		
David Dodge, recording, &c.	21	81	
Amount carried forward,	294	06	

Amount brought forward,	294	06
C. P. Emmons, sundries	1	
P. R. Jacobs, services	4	50
William Sawyer, services	10	
Charles Lapham, ringing bell	1	50
Isaac Kendall, railing in town hall, &c.	5	49
S. L. Armistead, setting glass	2	33
Marcellus Carpenter, stationary	3	
Samuel Stoddard, printing tax bills	21	38
John Mitchell, ringing bell	1	50
Wm. W. Wheildon, printing	16	25
Thomas Sumner, services	6	67
Thomas Knight, ringing bell	15	
Samuel Fowler, labor	1	67
David Dodge, recording births		48
Jonathan Howe, printing lists of voters	24	16
William Norcross, ringing bell	1	50
Thomas Greenleaf, filling town dock	354	85
Charles Sanderson, services	7	
Richard Nichols do.	7	
Perez R. Jacobs do.	2	
Charles Poole, setting glass	1	50
Wm Cate, ringing bell	1	50
Jesse Mann, removing horse	1	50
Seth Sawyer, refreshments	13	
A. Stowell & Son, taking care of town clock	18	
Edward Adams, rope	2	64
T. H. Farnsworth, labor	4	
Thomas Knight, ringing bell	15	
Abijah Blanchard, work	8	37
Hoyt & Kelley, gutter stone	2	
Jasper Stone, ringing bell	30	
Seth J. Thomas, coal	17	
Thomas J. Elliott, work on prison point bridge	17	25
S. L. Armistead, sundries	2	23
David Dodge, services	19	63
Isaac Kendall, repairs on market house	1	78
Perez R. Jacobs, services	11	66
Charles Sanderson do.	8	66
Richard Nichols do.	8	66
James G. Fuller, coal	5	
Amount carried forward,	970	72

Amount brought forward,	970	72
Samuel Stoddard, notifications	14	83
Jasper Stone, ringing bell	15	
Thomas Knight, do.	15	
John Bartlett, services as pound keeper	20	
Samuel L. Armistead, disbursements	2	47
David Dodge, sundries	11	47
Horatio N. Perkins, administrator, for 2898 feet land, to widen Bunker Hill street	325	
John L. Roberts, administrator, for 120 feet land, to widen Bunker Hill st.,	8	19
Nathaniel Grover, for 1297 feet land for do.	111	
Charles Sanderson, notifying town meeting	3	33
Perez R. Jacobs, do.	3	33
Richard Nichols, do.	4	33
William Cate, ringing bell	1	50
J. W. Mulliken, repairs	12	25
Wm. H. Bacon, painting signs	7	55
D. & Z. Bowman, powder, oil, &c.	25	11
A. D. Pattee, setting glass	1	50
Samuel Stoddard, printing	13	33
Charles Sanderson, services	11	99
Richard Nichols, do.	8	66
Perez R. Jacobs, do.	11	99

Funeral Services of late President Harrison.

Paid D. & Z. Bowman, powder	29	23	
E. P. Mackintire, dressing church, &c.	23	23	
Charles Lapham, services	12	50	
Asa B. Barker, artillery	11	50	
Boston Brigade Band, music	88		
Caleb Rand, printing	19	05	
Richard Haughton, advertising in Atlas	14	50	
Beals & Greene, do. in Post	11		
W. W. Wheildon, do. in Aurora	9		
Philand. Ames, dressing church	20	50	
Wm Cate, tolling bell	1	50	
Amounts carried forward,	240	01	1,598 55

Amounts brought forward,	240	01	1,598	55
Jasper Stone, tolling bell	1	50		
Wm Norcross, do.	1	50		
John Mitchell, do.	1	50		
Richard Nichols, services	2	00		
S. L. Armistead, do.	5			
J. P. Dunklee, and C. Sanderson, services	4			
Charlestown Infantry, cleaning arms	10			
C. P. Emmons, crape, &c.	7	25		
J. W. Mulliken, batons,	2	10		
John P. Flagg, merino	8	70		
Fuller & Gould, use of do.	7	23		
Warren Phalanx, cleaning guns	10			
Geo. P. Reed, use of singing books	2	25		
H. W. Greatorex, playing organ	12			
Proprietors Daily Advertiser, printing	5	67		
Proprietors Boston Courier, do.	5	67		
Dutton & Wentworth, printing eulogy	26	75		
			353	13
D. & Z. Bowman, oil, powder, &c.			14	08
Wm. M. Edmands, stove work			11	10
Wm Hodgkins, work			2	
B. D. Sherburne, carriage hire			1	75
Beals & Greene, advertising			2	
Caleb Symmes, Jr. repairing hearse, &c.			5	29
Richard Nichols, services			5	
Perez R. Jacobs, do.			2	42
John Harris, stationary			3	91
Gilbert Tufts, for land,	293	50		
award of referees	84		377	50
A. W. Austin, writing deeds, &c.			5	
James Dana, professional services			10	
Wm H. Bacon, setting glass			8	50
Seth Sawyer, refreshments			18	95
Jona. Weare, land to widen Phipps st.			20	
Perez R. Jacobs, notifying town officers			3	
Benj. Loring & Co. printing			16	
Richard Nichols, services			8	33
Charles Sanderson, services			5	
Amount carried forward,			2,471	51

Amount brought forward,	2,471	51	
Samuel Stoddard, printing	3	50	
Proprietors Daily Advertiser	4	50	
Tolman Willey, professional services	13		
D. & Z. Bowman, oil, &c.	6	51	
Caleb Rand, printing town expenses	61		
James Dana, professional services	20		
Eayres & Fairbanks, stationary	33	50	
Thomas Sumner, services	5	42	
W. W. Messer, assignee, paper	1	50	
James E. Farwell, printing	12	75	
Samuel Stoddard, do.	6	50	
Richard Nichols, services	5		
Charles Sanderson, do.	11		
Thomas Greenleaf, lumber, &c.	14	61	
Jacob Caswell, pump work	6	95	
Wm H. Bacon, setting glass	1	50	
			2,678 75

HIGHWAYS.

Paid James Deblois, services	115	62	
do. do.	88	50	
Thomas Rand, team and labor	23	25	
Robert Sanborn do.	41	12	
Fitch Cutter, do.	20	25	
Edward Cutter, do.	20	25	
Turner & Savage do.	17	50	
Samuel T. Prescott do.	6		
James Deblois, services	80	31	
Edward Cutter, labor and disbursements	56	50	
Fitch Cutter do.	41	50	
Samuel T. Frost do.	59	49	
Mary P. Torrey, gravel	25	10	
Turner & Savage, team work	32	50	
Joseph Miller, labor	1	25	
Benj. Hadley, labor and disbursements	144	31	
Hittenger & Cook, labor	23	08	
Michael Hittenger do.	4	08	
Jesse Wilson do.	17	50	
T. O. Nichols do.	4		
James Deblois do.	57	37	
Moses H. Caldwell do.	3		
Amounts carried forward,	882	48	2,678 75

Amounts brought forward,	882	48	2,678 75
Osgood Dane, labor	50	17	
Thomas O. Nichols, do.	27	50	
Miles Gardner, do.	16	83	
Levi Bennett, do.	22	75	
Wm A. Russell, do.	22	50	
Thomas Teel, do.	26	67	
Moses Griffin, do.	35	25	
Aaron Dickson, do.	4		
George W. Hayes, do.	37	75	
Philemon R. Russell, do.	27	50	
James Frost, do.	9	38	
Malden Bridge, tolls	1	24	
James Deblois, disbursements	1	87	
Hill & Chamberlain, copper priming rod	2		
Joseph Teel, labor	7	33	
Wm. A. Tufts, cutting stone	26		
Thomas J. Elliott, guide boards, &c.	3	25	
James Deblois, services	112	50	
Do. disbursements	21	80	
Nathaniel Ayer, labor on cross bridge	3	25	
Mass. State prison, curbs and stone chips	29	23	
Proprietors Malden bridge, tolls	10	74	
James Adams & Co. shovels, &c.	12	55	
Nathan Lynde, gravel	21	30	
George S. Adams, edge stone, &c.	6	13	
Thomas Hunnewell, wheelwright's work	6	49	
Turner & Savage, teaming	15	75	
John Paine, work	3	03	
Benjamin Phipps, harness work	19	71	
Weeman & Gleason, blacksmith do.	3	18	
James Deblois, disbursements	32	62	
Benjamin Thompson, lumber	4	98	
James Deblois, services, &c.	193	12	
Moses Wells, highway work	15	45	
D. & Z. Bowman, powder	3	50	
Isaac Barker, labor	34	37	
Thomas Greenleaf & Co., lumber	12	44	
H. E. Percival, chip stone	8	75	
J. L. Jennison, sundries	3	20	
James Deblois, services and disbursem'ts	57	50	
Robert Sanborn, team work, &c.	8	62	
Samuel T. Frost, gravel	18	50	
Amounts carried forward,	1,863	18	2,678 75

Amounts brought forward,	1,863	18	2,678	75
Joseph Clark, gravel	7			
Mary Torrey, do.	3	90		
Benj. Hadley, labor and disbursements	56	99		
Jonathan Teel, labor	96	04		
H. P. Waldron, painting		75		
Joshua Mixter, labor		62		
Wm H. Bacon, painting	3			
James Deblois, labor and disbursements	90			
Pascal Sprague, labor	9			
James Deblois, services and disbursem'ts	78			
Hoyt & Kelley, flagging stone	20	75		
Goodnow & Blanchard, team work	22	50		
True Morrill, stone chips	19	60		
Wm A. Russell, labor and teams	8	50		
John C. Magoun, do.	11	33		
Charles Poole, painting	1	50		
Weeman & Gleason, work	22	13		
Goodridge & Mulliken, lumber	71	49		
Hoyt & Kelley, stone chips	8	12		
Nathan Lynde, gravel	9			
Benj. Thompson, lumber	3	56		
George S. Adams, hard brick	13			
Turner & Savage, teaming	2	50		
Mass. State Prison, stone chips	16	66		
J. & J. Davis & Goodnow, gravel, &c.	40			
Mary P. Torrey, gravel, &c.	6	60		
J. R. Howard, stone	2			
Thomas Hunnewell, work	9	25		
James Deblois, services	58	50		
West Boston Iron Co., castings	7	97		
Ivory Randall, labor	3	75		
Robert Milliken, do.	2	38		
Charles M. Briant, top to reservoir	5	50		
Robert B. Johnson, carting gravel	1	50		
Joel P. Fletcher, carting stone		75		
Jotham Johnson, lumber	7	53		
Samuel S. Raymond, repairs, &c.	6	67		
Wm. Hodgkins, tools, repairs, &c.	27	44		
Thomas J. Elliott, labor and timber	4	50		
John Harding, Jr. blacksmith work	23	93		
James Deblois, services	47			
Edward Cutter, labor	5	75		
Nath'l S. Reynolds, labor	2	66	2,702	80
Amount carried forward,			5,381	55

Amount brought forward,		5,381 55

SALARIES.

Paid David Dodge, town clerk	300	
S. L. Armistead, town messenger	120	
J. P. Dunklee, police officer	17 08	
J. K. Frothingham, W. H. Bacon, J. Clark, } Assessors	500	
P. R. Jacobs, police officer	75	
Ebenezer Barker, chief engineer	200	
James Deblois, assistant engineer	25	
C. H. S. Arnold, do. ending April 30, 1841	25	
Hiram Allen do. do.	25	
John Sylvester do. do.	25	
James M. Caswell do. do.	25	
Jonathan Stover do. do.	25	
John Sanborn do. do.	25	
Jacob Hittenger do. do.	25	
		1,412 08

LAMPS.

Paid David Edmands, oil	622 42	
John B. Wilson, trimming and lighting lamps	523 50	
William H. Bacon, setting glass in lamps,	2 25	
Charles Poole, work	1 25	
Thomas J. Elliott, setting lamp post, &c.	4 75	
Harrison Wingate, ladder	3 00	
D. & Z. Bowman, wicking	3 10	
Wm H. Bacon, glazing, &c.	2 17	
Harrison Wingate, lamp posts, &c.	7 33	
George W. Little, lamps, &c.	19 83	
Wm H. Bacon, setting glass	3 75	
H. V. V. Blanchard, do.	16 75	
David Edmands, oil	78 28	
D. & Z. Bowman, wicking	4 12	1,292 50
Amount carried forward,		8,086 13

Amount brought forward,		8,086 13

MILITARY.

PAID Thirty five members of Charlestown Artillery	175	
Forty members of Warren Phalanx	200	
Forty six do. of Charlestown Light Infantry	230	
Forty seven do. of Columbian Guards	235	
Two do. of Boston Artillery	10	
		850 00

SPECIAL GRANTS.

PAID Thomas Greenleaf, filling Town Dock- as per statement at end of the report,	1,800 00

FOR REPAIRS ON MARKET HOUSE.

PAID Jenkins & Beal, repairing market house	281 76	
Jonathan Locke, paving cellar	58 70	
Jonas L. Jennison, cleaning	2 75	
Amos Kendall, repairs	127 01	
Palmer & Whipple, do.	17	
Snow & Worcester, painting	17 42	
Thomas Greenleaf, lumber	17 39	
A. Wilbur, sundries	31 63	
Isaac Kendall, work	7 79	
		561 45

WATCH.

PAID Salaries of Watchmen	2415 80	
Wm M. Edmands, funnel, &c.	1 46	
D. & Z. Bowman, oil	9 23	
Ames Drake, work on watch house	15	
Calvin Simonds, wood for do.	3 75	
Isaac Kendall, work	3 50	
Joel Dix, Jr., 1 1-2 cords wood	11 25	
Joseph P. Perkins, labor	9 00	
Thomas Greenleaf, wood	7 75	
Wm H. Bacon, do.	17	
Benjamin Edmands, setting glass	1 33	
		2,478 24
Total amount of orders drawn by Board of Selectmen		$13,775 82

Orders of the Board of Trustees.

PAID FOR THE SALARIES OF THE TEACHERS.

WINTHROP SCHOOL.		
Joshua Bates, Jr.	900	
Samuel Swan	900	
Harriet N. Felton	225	
Caroline M. Sylvester	225	
Lewis B. Munroe	37 50	
John A. Sanborn	37 50	
		2,325 00
HARVARD SCHOOL.		
Paul H. Sweetser	900	
Robert Swan	600	
Mary J. Whiting	225	
M. S. Fernald	65 62	
Sarah C. Reynolds	168 75	
Caroline R. Wiley	39 58	
Sarah J. Child	39 58	
		2,038 53
WARREN SCHOOL.		
Samuel L. Gould	76 92	
Daniel H. Forbes	875	
Joseph T. Swan	779 32	
Sarah J. Hay	225	
Susan L. Sawyer	223 75	
Lucy Blanchard	222 91	
Alfred O. Lindsey	80	
		2,482 90
BUNKER HILL SCHOOL.		
Benjamin F. Tweed	900	
Thomas S. King	420	
		1,320 00
PROSPECT HILL SCHOOL.		
Cornelius M. Vinson		800 00
RUSSELL DISTRICT.		
E. A. Caverno	140 95	
Levi Russell	120	
		260 95
GARDNER DISTRICT.		
Catharine A. Pollard	140 62	
Joel Pierce	120	
		260 62
Amount carried forward,		9,488 00

Amount brought forward,					9,488 00

PRIMARY SCHOOLS.

No. 1.	Malvina B. Skilton		210	
2.	Mary Walker		210	
3.	Charlotte A. Sawyer		210	
4.	Martha P. Stockman		192 50	
5.	Elizabeth H. Dodge		210	
6.	Eliza B. Adams		210	
7.	Sarah C. Smith		210	
8.	M. E. Chamberlain		210	
9.	M. H. A Dupee	105		
	Elizabeth Emes	105	210	
10.	Joanna S. Putnam		210	
11.	E. B. Marshall		210	
12.	Lydia A. Keith		210	
13.	Sarah C. Reynolds	52 50		
	Susan M. Nichols	153 36	205 86	
14.	Jane M. Burkess		210	
15.	Esther M. Hay		210	
16.	Lydia W. Locke	105		
	Hannah M. Austin	105	210	
17.	Mary E. Brown		210	
18.	Leonora Skilton		192 50	
19.	E. P. Whittredge		210	
20.	Sarah M. Burnham		210	
21.	Cynthia Brockett		93 57	
				4,254 43

CONTINGENT EXPENSES OF SCHOOLS.

Paid Oliver Jaquith, rent	22 50	
C. P. Emmons, books	174 03	
A. Stowell & Son, sundries	7 75	
M. A. Chandler, services	8 65	
Isaac Kendall, services	2 80	
William Stearns, do.	6 75	
Isaac Pratt, do.	90	
E. P. Whittredge, do.	56	
A. P. Dickson, do.	3 00	
Luther Rugg, care of Warren school house	28	
	254 94	13,742 43

Amounts carried forward,

Amounts brought forward,	254 94	13,742 43	
R. F. Sanborn, sundries	2 00		
Benjamin Grover, do.	2 00		
Nancy Fuller, care of school house	43 62		
Lydia W. Locke, making fires, &c.	1		
Jane M. Burkess, do.	2		
Lydia A. Keith, do.	2		
M. E. Brown, do.	3 54		
Leonora Skilton, do.	1		
M. W. H. Dupee, do.	2 42		
M. B. Skilton, do.	1 50		
E. B. Marshall, do.	1 50		
B. F. Ricker, services	5		
Benjamin Thompson, coal, &c.	159 22		
Samuel Abbott & Co., mats, brooms, &c.	17 51		
James Twombly, repairs	2 50		
Snow & Worcester, setting glass, &c.	4 42		
Joseph Phipps, brush, &c.	1 01		
C. A. Ford, sundries	2 03		
Marsh, Capen & Lyon, books	10 00		
Forster, Lawrence & Co., fixtures	28		
Caleb Rand, printing	5 50		
Benjamin Edmands, painting	25 70		
Nancy Fuller, care of school house	20 25		
Jerome Thorp, do.	75		
M. M. Thorp, do.	8 62		
Jerome Thorp, do.	6		
J. Ireland, sundries	3 45		
C. S. Hall, care of school house	13 25		
J. P. Perkins, labor	37		
Ralph Pratt, do.	1		
John Sanborn, coal, &c.	15		
Marsh, Capen & Lyon, books	22 80		
Do. do.	13 55		
Richard Nichols, services	10		
S. J. Richardson, sweeping	3		
E. P. Mackintire, balance paid G. W. Warren, treasurer	2 97		
Oliver Jaquith, rent	22 50		
J. G. Foster, disbursements	2 18		
Sarah M. Burnham, do.	3 20		
Palmer & Whipple, repairs	22 49		
J. Hunnewell, sundries	4 27		
Q. A. Harrington, do.	2 50		
Amounts carried forward,	756 56	13,742 43	

Amounts brought forward,	756	56	13,742 43
M. M. Thorp, sundries	2	70	
E. P. Whittredge, do.	1		
J. B. Wilson, do.	1		
Marsh, Capen & Lyon, books	5		
Winthrop Church, rent	25		
Wm. W. Wheildon, printing	85	16	
S. J. Richardson, sweeping	2		
Cornelia S. Hall, care of school room	11		
J. L. Jennison, labor	10	50	
Clement Noyes, do.	2	41	
J. B. & C. Wilson, repairs	37	33	
Caleb Rand, printing	5	50	
C. P. Emmons, books	209	92	
Oliver Jaquith, rent	22	50	
Martha E. Symmes, services	8		
Joshua Mixer, labor		50	
J. B. & C. Wilson, work	3		
E. P. Whittredge, disbursements		50	
J. F. Brown, sundries	8		
William Stearns, sweeping B. H. school house	6	50	
Benjamin C. Teel, sundries	4	95	
C. M. Vinson, disbursements	1	75	
Levi Orcutt, sundries	2		
Jeremy Wilson, repairs	24	71	
Jonathan F. Locke, do.	18	62	
Elizabeth Emes, services	4		
M. M. Thorp, disbursements	1	65	
G. S. Putnam, do.	3		
Ann J. Ramsay, work	1	50	
G. J. Lindsey, do.	1	50	
G. J. Lindsey, do.	1	50	
Q. A. Harrington, do.	3	20	
Samuel F. Ireland, sundries	2	40	
John Harris, books	29	38	
Samuel Ferrin, rent	28		
Seth J. Thomas, coal	204		
Goodridge & Sanborn, wood, &c.	118	53	
M. M. Thorp, sundries	5	70	
S. L. Armistead, services, &c.	3	50	
First Universalist Society, rent	25		
Harvard Church, rent	25		
Amounts carried forward,	1,713	97	13,742 43

Amounts brought forward,	1,713	97	13,742	43
Charles Woodbury, sundries	3	50		
Cornelius Walker, services	5			
Luther Rugg, care of Warren school house	20			
J. L. Jennison, labor	4	50		
Jacob Foss, rent	6			
H. G. Waldron, sundries	2	16		
Mass. State Prison, stone chips	8	75		
Nancy Fuller, care of school room	21	25		
Cornelia S. Hall, do.	11	25		
Seth J. Thomas, coal	72	25		
Oliver Jaquith, rent	22	50		
Winthrop Society, do.	25			
J. G. Fuller, coal	15	62		
Sanborn & Goodridge, do.	269	50		
John Murray, chairs, &c.	8	81		
James F. Teel, sundries	2			
M. M. Thorp, do.	2			
Moses Babcock, sundries	7	49		
Mary Walker, do.	3			
Jerome Thorp, do.	3	50		
E. A. Caverno, disbursement		50		
J. Farnsworth, services	2			
Benjamin Thompson, wood, &c.	9	38		
George W. Little, stoves, &c.	14	13		
John Babcock, repairs,	27	79		
H. V. V. Blanchard, work, &c.	8	27		
Foster, Lawrence & Co., fixtures	33	66		
Abijah Blanchard, repairs	52	72		
G. J. Lindsey, sundries	1	50		
Caleb Rand, printing	5	50		
George S. Adams, mason work	10	50		
Nancy Fuller, care of school house	20	25		
Snow & Worcester, painting	16	17		
P. R. Jacobs, sundries	1	25		
Charles P. Gage, carriage hire	7	50		
Clarke & Varney, repairs	164	57		
E. P. Mackintire, disbursement		75		
Samuel Daggett, carriage hire	22	25		
Cornelia S. Hall, care of school house	13	25		
Leonard Tufts, sundries	1			
J. B. Caldwell, do.		60		
Amounts carried forward,	2,641	59	13,742	43

Amounts brought forward,	2,641	59	13,742 43
Stephen Swan, wood, &c.	20		
Harvard Church, rent	25		
Benjamin Edmands, painting	10	19	
Wm. M. Edmands, stoves, &c.	127	08	
Alson Studley, services	3		
Jesse Wilson, repairs	4	38	
Jotham Johnson, wood, &c.	8	37	
Seth J. Thomas, coal	5	25	
John Harris, books	6	33	
Fosdick & Carter, sundries	2		
Samuel Kidder & Co. ink	14	75	
Joseph Cheney, sundries	1		
Wm Arnold, do.	12	30	
John H. Scott, care of Warren school house	20	62	
Knowles & Skilton, brushes	9	50	
Universalist Society, rent	25		
Wm A. Davis, sundries	4	99	
Foster, Lawrence & Co., repairs	1	62	
Snow & Worcester, setting glass	1	82	
Benjamin Thompson, coal	34	72	
Sanborn & Goodridge, wood and bark	102	42	
Seth J. Thomas, coal	17		
E. B. Marshall, care of school room	2		
George W. Stone, repairs	1		
Abijah Blanchard, do.	55	14	
J. H. Russell, setting glass, &c.	5	90	
Nancy Fuller, taking care of school houses	22		
Levi Russell, wood, &c.	13	90	
Aaron Dickson, sawing wood	6		
C. P. Emmons, books	28	20	
			3,233 07

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION.

Paid Clarke & Varney, primary school house	915		
Gilbert Tufts, land for do.	188	06	
Clarke & Varney, repairs on Harvard school house	518		
J. B. & C. Wilson, repairs on primary school houses	566	75	
			2,187 81
Total amount of orders drawn by Board of Trustees			$19,163 31

Orders of the Board of Overseers of the Poor.

FOR DRY GOODS.

Paid W. H & T. B. Preston	163 28	
S. G. Phipps	713 71	
John Skilton	197 75	
Nancy Winchester	27 07	
Fuller & Gould	280 98	
John P. Flagg	4	
John Melvin	17 40	
William Arnold	12 88	
		1,417 07

FOR GRAIN, MEAL, ETC.

Paid E. & S. Munroe	532 59	
H. Crosby & Co.	80 92	
John Kent	8 52	
Benjamin Teel	64 47	
Abel Fitz	165 62	
Crosby & Tufts	210 84	
Wesson & Garey	243 75	
E. Munroe, Jr.	37 20	
		1,343 01

FOR PROVISIONS.

Paid Jotham Johnson, Jr.	321 17	
Cristy & Wason	312 87	
Abijah Munroe	155 07	
John W. Hollis	116 45	
J. Herrick, Jr.	17 43	
Noah Sanborn	13 22	
Oliver Frost	35 65	
Solomon Hovey	14 73	
James Dugan	119 62	
James Damon	148 31	
David Patterson	10 24	
Harwood Hazleton	27 06	
Timothy Piper	4 59	
Isaac C. Dyar	14 70	
Azel Sanborn	3 30	
		1,314 41

Amount carried forward, 4,075 39

Amount brought forward,			4,075 39
FOR GROCERIES.			
Paid John L. Taggard	138	35	
Phineas J. Stone	953	11	
H. N. & J. B. Albee	6	23	
H. T. Meserve	107	51	
Sawtell, Jacobs & Co.	149	21	
Edward A. Ward	12	81	
D. & Z. Bowman	619	94	
Taggard & Mackintire	39	63	
H. & S. P. Hill	262	22	
Jesse Harwood	2	57	
S. Abbott & Co	39	64	
Jotham Johnson, Jr.	141	27	
John Melvin	2		
Jonas Tyler	60	38	
Warren & Goodridge	3	46	
Asa Flanders	6		
L. A. Chamberlain	3		
Abel Barker	5	74	
			2,553 07
FOR COAL AND WOOD.			
Paid Sanborn & Goodridge	293	88	
Leonard Grant	154	87	
A. Tirrell	31		
Seth J. Thomas	183		
			662 75
FOR LUMBER.			
Paid Benj. Thompson	120	03	
Thomas Greenleaf	333	73	
Jotham Johnson	43	08	
Oliver Dickson	12	80	
Otis Clapp	2	80	
A. G. Howard	2	64	
Goodridge & Mulliken	78	42	
Thomas Hunnewell	2	70	
Thomas Greenleaf & Co.	21	87	
			618 07
Amount carried forward,			7,909 28

Amount brought forward,		7,909 28

FOR IRON, JUNK, ETC.

Paid Francis T. Wait	3 50	
Nathaniel Lamson	53 48	
Benj. G. Blanchard	48 87	
		105 85

FOR BOOTS AND SHOES.

Paid Charles Poor	156 18	
C. H. S. Arnold	68 10	
Newhall Martin, Jr.	41 78	
Samuel Poor	1 50	
		267 56

FOR REPAIRING HARNESSES, ETC.

Paid Charles Mullett	2 99	
Samuel S. Raymond	3 38	
Benjamin Phipps	8 05	
Francis Sisson	1 87	
		16 29

FOR SALARIES.

Paid Abijah Munroe	400	
James R. Turner	400	
Phillips W. Potter	159	
Z. Janette Shaw	78	
Henry Lyon, M. D.	80	
		1,117 00

FOR LABOR.

Paid Isaac Kendall, work	5 87	
Francis T. Wait, tin work	10	
Charles Wiggins, carriage do.	7	
Swain Anderson, do.	18	
Jonas Barrett, mason work	37	
John Branan, labor	30	
Weeman & Gleason, shoeing	17 46	
Amounts carried forward,	125 33	9,415 98

Amounts brought forward,	125	33	9,415 98
Stephen Bennett; mason work	8	13	
W. Hodgkins, iron work	9		
M. A. Shattuck, sewing	46	64	
John Bogue, tailoring	41		
Jacob Caswell, pump work	14	75	
Mass. State Prison, shoeing	28	72	
James Emery, iron work	50		
Jonas Barrett, labor	7		
Wm M. Edmands, iron work	8	38	
Francis T. Waitt, do.	50		
Thomas Hunnewell, wood work	2	88	
			391 83

FOR SUNDRIES.

Paid C. P. Emmons, books, &c.	22	84	
John Harris, do.	2	92	
Nathaniel Watson, board,	60	43	
Rogers & Arnold, medicines	112	65	
Samuel Kidder & Co., do.	7	86	
Snow & Worcester, paints, &c.,	78	97	
Isaac Lothrop, hats	11	24	
Charles Thomas, do.	13	19	
David Edmands, oil,	78	68	
Caleb Symmes, Jr., burials	24		
Knowles & Skilton, brushes	14	10	
Abijah Munroe, disbursements	1,710	36	
James Adams, hard ware	64	96	
Sanborn & Goodridge, commissions	19	51	
David Smith, fish	25	05	
John Harding, do.	14	80	
Dr. J. W. Bemis, Medical attendance	17		
S. Bailey, stove	9		
Wm. Stickney, spice	2	50	
Wm. M. Edmands, stove, &c.	12	61	
A. Stowell & Son, spectacles	2	28	
Benj. Thompson, lime	10	80	
Charles P. Gage, horse hire	7		
Isaac F. Williams, rat traps	21	37	
J. G. Loring, lead pipe	7	32	
Marshall Blanchard, bricks	3	50	
Samuel Ferrin, do.	20	43	
John M. Sawyer, sand	4		
Amounts carried forward,	2,379	37	9,807 81

Amounts brought forward,	2,379 37	9,807 81
Hoyt & Kelley, stone	34	
Samuel Cutter, seeds	3 92	
Fosdick & Carter, goods	31 40	
H. Hutchinson, do.	4 96	
Perley Cleves, bedstead	5 85	
Winslow & Delano, onions	87	
William M. Edmands, tin ware	4 66	
Geo. W. Little, do.	29 34	
James Gould, soap	1	
Absolam Rand, do.	16 27	
Amos Quimby, spiles to wharf	141	
Hoyt & Kelley, capping to do.	303 24	
Benj. G. Blanchard, posts do.	16	
Samuel C. Hunt, piles do.	51 54	
		3,023 42

FOR RENT.

Paid Smith Dyar,	10	
Charles Appleton,	46 50	
Clement Noyes,	37 50	
		94 00

FOR COSTS, ETC.

Paid P. R. Jacobs, services	9 29	
Jesse Mann, fees	3 50	
Charles Sanderson,	2	
		14 75
Total amount of Orders drawn by Board of Overseers of Poor		$12,939 98

Orders of Engineers of the Fire Department.

Paid Samuel S. Raymond, repairs of Engines, &c.,	69 84
Caleb H. S. Arnold, services as clerk, &c.,	40
Benj. Edmands, repairs, houses, &c.,	2 71
H. & S. P. Hill, oil	5 40
Herman Hutchinson, do. in 1840	1 68
Samuel S. Raymond, repairs done in 1840	115 75
Caleb Rand, printing	8 50
Amount carried forward,	243 88

Amount brought forward,	243	88
Clark & Varney, repairs	1	25
S. S. Raymond, Hose	374	21
Ames Drake, repairs on Houses	1	75
John C. Chamberlin, teaming	1	
Clerks of Engines; allowances for clerks, stewards, refreshments, &c., viz: Engine No. 1	128	33
" 2	103	33
" 3	128	33
" 4	128	33
" 5	128	33
" 6	75	
" 7	128	33
Hook & Ladder Company,	64	16
Gilbert Tufts, land purchased for engine house, No. 7	150	
Samuel S. Raymond, repairs of engines	128	75
George Fuller, do. do.	9	25
do. do. do. do. and houses	32	84
Frederick A. Fisk, do. engine houses	12	48
Charles Poole, badges	5	
James M'Donald, hauling engine	2	
Ames Drake, repairs of houses	9	25
Michael Hittenger, repairs of engines	90	
Palmer & Whipple, repairs on engine houses	120	90
Weeman & Gleason, do. engines	9	87
James Emery, do. do.	1	
James Poor, do. do.	5	50
William Stowell, moving engine house No. 7	30	
Palmer & Whipple, repairs of do.	32	35
William C. Hunneman & Co., repairs of engine	213	
William S. Phipps, rent of land for No. 2	11	
George Foster, repairs of engines	1	25
Joseph Miller, do. No. 6	2	14
Charles Poole, repairs on houses	26	62
Charles Sanderson, stationary		88
George Fuller, repairs of Engine	22	88
Samuel S. Raymond, do.	39	
Ames Drake, do. house	10	83
David Goodridge, oil	4	72
Hoyt & Kelley, repairs on reservoirs	3	57
Eben. Barker, refreshments for out of Town Engines	8	
Z. Osgood, do.	1	
Amount carried forward,	2,490	31

Amount brought forward,	2,490	31
John Melvin, refreshments for out of town engines	6	35
David S. Tucker, do.	10	
Moses Babcock, repairing key		50
Snow & Worcester, repairs on engine houses		74
William Hodgkins, do. on reservoirs	1	50
Elias Thayer, repairs on engines	8	
George M. Knapp, services	1	50
James Adams, shovel	1	25
Parker Bailey, repairs		33
Charles Kimball, furniture for engine house, No. 3	88	75
Thomas Hunnewell, repairs	2	86
Samuel Daggett, hauling hook and ladder	5	25
Thomas O. Nichols, teaming engine	2	
John Harding, Jr., repairing reservoirs	3	20
Elias Crafts, Jr., stationary, No. 3		50
Benj. Thompson, coal, No. 2	4	75
Charles P. Emmons, stationary, No. 3	2	74
Thomas M. Cutter, lamps, No. 3	2	
Crafts & Carter, teaming hose	7	93
Wm. C. Hunneman & Co., repairs of engines	100	
Wm. M. Edmands, do. houses	32	55
Rogers & Arnold, repairs of engine		75
Michael Hittenger, do.	6	50
Hittenger & Cook, do.	6	40
Jotham Barry, Jr., do.	10	20
Samuel S. Raymond, do.	30	23
John Williams, do.	3	50
Wm. W. Wheildon, printing		75
John Harding, Jr. repairs of engines	2	12
D. & Z. Bowman, oil, &c.	10	53
Samuel Rugg, repairs of engines	2	
P. R. Jacobs, service	4	75
D. & Z. Bowman, oil for No. 7	4	50
Sawtell, Jacobs & Co. do. No. 5	6	75
Crafts & Co., teaming engine	3	20
Wm. Hodgkins, repairing reservoirs	3	15
James Walker, refreshments for out of town Engines March 20	19	
Bigelow & Stinson, do.	27	
Cutter & Mullett, do.	7	79
Jotham Johnson, Jr., do.	17	06
Jotham Barry, Jr., keys and badges	14	33
Amount carried forward,	2,953	52

Amount brought forward,		2,953 52
C. H. S. Arnold, repairs of engines	75	
Jonas Tyler, oil for hook and ladder, No. 6	1 17	
Joseph Miller, repairs of engine	75	
Oliver Brown, oil and tallow	4 44	
Cutter & Mullett, oil, &c. No. 4	2 42	
John L. Taggard, do. No. 1	7 36	
Total amount of orders drawn by the Engineers of the Fire Department		$2,970 41

Orders of Committee to Build Reservoir at head of Pleasant Street.

Paid Hoyt & Kelley, stone, &c.	80	
Caleb Symmes, Jr., labor, &c.	187	83
George S. Adams, sundries,	24	75
Turner & Savage, do.	22	50
Thomas Hunnewell, do.	6	55
	$321	63

Orders of the Board of Health.

Paid Caleb Symmes, Jr., services	9	
Thomas Waters, attendance on sick	2	
Thomas Connor, do.	33	46
George Wright, do.	2	
E. Buttrick, services	3	70
P. R. Jacobs and others, distributing notices	10	
J. W. Bemis, medical attendance, vaccinating, &c.	52	
P. R. Jacobs, services	1	50
A. E. Downing, labor	3	
Caleb Symmes, Jr., burying E. Payson	9	
Do. do. O. Keene	9	
Wm. W. Wheildon, printing	16	25
A. E. Downing, labor	3	
Lucinda Johnson, services as nurse	16	
Amount carried forward,	169	91

Amount brought forward,	169	91
Wm. Sawyer, services	9	48
Tolman Willey, do.	5	
D. C. Willis, services as secretary	40	
J. W. Bemis, medical attendance	15	
James Hanson, labor	3	
Charles P. Gage, horse hire	8	75
A. E. Downing	3	
J. Cooney		50
M. Veras	2	
Total amount of orders drawn by Board of Health	$256	64

(Errors Excepted.) ISAAC BLANCHARD,
March 31, 1842. *Town Treasurer.*

Report of Committee of Finance.

The members of the Finance Committee, having been appointed by the Town to examine and audit the accounts of the Treasurer and Collector, have carefully made the examination required of them and find said accounts well kept.—The items embraced therein being accurately entered and certified and properly vouched—there being in his hands, March 31, 1842, a balance of thirty one thousand six hundred and twenty six dollars and eighty five cents.

$31,626,85

TIMOTHY T. SAWYER,
JOHN L. TAGGARD,
RICHARD FROTHINGHAM, Jr.
WILLIAM WYMAN,
} *Committee.*

Loan of 50,000 Dollars.

At the last May meeting, the town passed the following vote:

"That the Treasurer, with the approval of the Committee of Finance, is authorized to hire for the use of the town, from the Lowell Institution for Savings, in Lowell, the sum of fifty thousand dollars, for the term of twenty years, bearing an interest of five per centum per annum, payable annually."

This loan has been taken by the Treasurer, and during the past year, he has paid off town notes to the amount of $23,400.

Outstanding Demands.

Orders now in the hands of the Town Treasurer.

Viz. Board of Overseers order, No	11	504 87	
do.	12	586 64	
			1,091 51
Engineers of Fire Department			84 75
			$1,176 26

Town Dock.

Disbursements made by Thomas Greenleaf, for filling Town Dock, constructing drain and reservoir, viz.

John R. Howard's bill	1,270 50	
Samuel Saunders' do.	700 25	
Ashael G. Clark's, do.	51 64	
Sundry persons	132 46	
		2,154 85

Signed. DAVID DODGE, *Town Clerk.*

Appropriations for 1841.

For support of schools	17,000 00
New primary school house and alteration of two houses in training field	2,000
Support of Poor	6,000
do. arrearages for 1840	1,000
Fire Department	3,000
Watch	2,200
Lamps	1,300
Highways	2,500
Contingent expenses	2,000
Reservoir on High street	300
Interest on town debt	4,600
Abatement of taxes	1,000
Salaries of Collector and Treasurer	800
Town Clerk	300
Amount carried forward,	44,000 00

Amount brought forward,	44,000 00
Town Messenger	120
Clerk of Market and Police officers	100
Chief Engineer	200
Assistant Engineers, 4 at $25	100
Assessors	500
Payment of Town Debt	5,000
Completion of Almshouse wharf	600
Building house for Juvenile offenders	300
Repairs on market house	500
Support of Poor, per vote passed November	3,700
Filling Town Dock	1,800
	$56,920 00

Chairman of Board of

The following accounts, examined by the Auditing Committee, are printed

Dr.	TOWN OF CHARLESTOWN,	*in Account with*	
March 19, 1841.	To Cash paid Chairman per vote of Board,	400	00
" "	" " B. Thompson, for lumber	79	20
" "	" " D. Edmands, for Oil	27	18
" "	" " Goodridge & Mulliken, for Lumber	39	59
" "	" " Boston, for supporting Poor	60	00
" "	" " do. do. do.	19	32
20	" " J. Runey, for earthern ware	6	97
" "	" " T. J. Elliot, surveying	1	50
April 5	" " A. Munroe, Chairman, Balance	1,268	85
		$1,962	61

Dr.	TOWN OF CHARLESTOWN,	*in Account with*	
March 27, 1841.	To Cash paid P. J. Stone, for groceries	466	24
" "	" " C. Appleton, for rent	26	00
" "	" " S. Poor, for shoes	26	91
" "	" " do. for disbursements	7	18
" "	" " C. Colburn, for shoes	19	25
" "	" " S. Chamberlin, for sewing	3	50
April 16	" " Snow & Worcester, for paints	5	68
" "	" " do. do. do.	43	27
" "	" " J. C. Marion, for hay	7	16
" "	" " Wm. Sawyer, for postage	2	13
" "	" " C. Brown, for rent of land	30	00
17	" " L. Grant, for wood	121	50
" "	" " Gould & Hawse, for hay,	5	32
26	" " J. Livermore, for Cow	50	00
" "	" " Gould & Hawse, for hay	3	61
May 1	" " Chadbourn, Libbey & Co., for hay	8	67
" "	" " P. T. Allen, for wood	119	50
" "	" " L. Stetson, for hay	7	04
13	" " Wm. Munroe, for potatoes	88	00
" "	" " Wm. Nudd, do.	57	00
" "	" " A. Stowell & Son, for spectacles	2	00
" "	" " R. Payson, for rent	20	00
Feb. 26, 1842.	" " Town Treasurer, per receipt	225	00
Mar. 8	" " " " "	2,950	86
14	" " " " "	100	00
" "	" " J. R. Turner, for small disbursements	177	73
" "	" " Town Treasurer, per receipt	887	46
" "	" " City of Boston, for supporting poor	61	62
" "	" " " " " House of Correction	65	91
	Balance in hands of Chairman	151	51
		$5,740	05

ABIJAH MUNROE,
Chairman of Overseers of Poor.

Overseers Account.

by request of the Chairman of the Board of Overseers of the Poor.

SAMUEL POOR, *as Chairman of Overseers of the Poor.*				Cr.
March 15, 1841.	By balance of account audited to March, 15th, 1841			1,432 15
	" Cash received of Needham for supporting poor			18 72
	" " " Boston, " " "			186 39
	" " " T. T. Sawyer, for oakum			228 60
	" " " Wellfleet, for supporting poor			36 75
				$1,902 61

ABIJAH MONROE, *as Chairman of Overseers of the Poor.*				Cr.
April 5, 1841.	By Cash received of S. Poor, balance of account			1,268 85
17	" " " Town of Sherburne, for supporting poor			107 67
	" " " Town of Woburn, do.			16 93
May 21	" " " City of Salem, do.			20 86
24	" " " Sanborn & Goodridge, for deduction on bills			36 00
29	" " " Town of Burlington, for supporting poor			10 29
June 2	" " " E. Crafts, for Pasturing			6 87
	" " " City of Lowell, for board			1 00
Aug. 7	" " " M. Harrington, do.			50
	" " " C. Symmes, Jr., for Coffin			3 00
17	" " " Town of Roxbury, for supporting poor with small pox			55 43
Sept. 3	" " " T. M'Dougal, for board			38 00
	" " " R. Tenney, for manure			4 00
Oct. 22	" " " Town of Gloucester, for supporting poor			28 68
Nov. 15	" " " " " Newton, do.			18 00
18	" " " A. Babcock, for cow			15 00
Jan. 19, 1842.	" " " Town of Newburyport, for supporting poor			21 12
28	" " " Town of Brighton, do.			8 50
Feb. 5	" " " " " Middleborough, do.			2 00
15	" " " " " Weston, do.			10 50
22	" " " " " Needham, do.			45 52
23	" " " " " Malden, do.			22 51
25	" " " " " Beverly, do.			10 00
Mar. 2	" " " " " Townsend, do.			14 00
8	" " " H. & S. P. Hill, deduction on bills			5 15
	" " " C. P. Gage, " "			1 00
	" " " State Treasurer, for suporting St. paupers			2,950 86
	" " " T. M'Dougal, for board			40 00
	" " " G. Shelden, for oxen			112 50
	" " " J.R Turner, for sale of sundries			349 01
12	" " " J. Johnson, Jr,. and others, for oakum, &c.			120 00
15	" " " Town of Marblehead, for supporting poor			36 00
	" " " A. Monroe, for Hogs, &c.			135 74
23	" " " Town of Cambridge, for supporting poor			2 00
25	" " " City of Boston, do.			222 56
				$5,740 05

Charlestown, April 16, 1842.

The members of the Finance Committee having been chosen to audit the accounts of the several Boards, find the foregoing accounts to be properly vouched, there being a balance of one hundred and fifty one dollars, and fifty one cents in the hands of Abijah Monroe, Chairman of the Board of Overseers, to the credit of the Town.

RICHARD FROTHINGHAM, JR.,
TIMOTHY T. SAWYER,
WILLIAM WYMAN,
JOHN L. TAGGARD
} Committee.

March 31, 1842.

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